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The number of 7-year schools will rise from 153 last year to 168 this year. The new 7-year schools will be opened in the Korce, Lushnje, Berat, and other districts.

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949 STUDENTS STUDY ABROAD -- Tirana, Zeri i Popullit, 9 Aug 50

Tirana (Albanian Telegraphic Agency) -- During the 1950-51 academic year, Albanian students held about 200 scholarships for study in foreign institutions of higher learning. A total of 949 Albanian students will study in the USSR or in People's Democracies in universities or the equivalent this year. The Albanian government will spend about 5,685,000 lek to finance their studies.

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